WHY SCHOOL BOYS

Not Due to Laziness or Athletics, Says Dr. Small.

MANY ARE TOO SMALL TO CARRY A MUSKET

Physical Disability and Objection of Parents Also Held to Be Responsible.

mated by Bruce Browning in a letter in the Mail Bag column of the Sunday evening edition of The Washington Times, Dr. W. S. Small, president of the

The reasons for the non-enlistment of cadets, Dr. Small said, were generally to be found among the following:
Boys too small to carry regulation musket. This applies to about 15 per cent of entrants into first year course. Physical disability other than size.
Boys regularly employed after school hours.

Parents disbelieve in militarism Expense of an extra suit too heavy. "The athletics at Eastern are so arranged that they do not conflict with the drills," Drfl Small said. "The companies are out but two evenings a week, and the athletic practice hours are set on the remaining evenings."

Puts Blame On Athletics. That athletics was the cause of nonnlistment in many cases was the pinion of E. M. Wilson, principal of

Central High School. "The drill takes up at least four hours a week of a boy's time, and if he goes in for athletics he may find both activities too much," said Mr. wilson. "Enlistment is compulsory only where the boy does not have a request from his parents to remain out of the organization. The principals have no discretion in the matter if the parent does not wish a boy to drill."

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Investigation of Typhoid, Brother of President Guest Pellagra, and Infantile At Banquet With Em-Paralysis Analyzed. peror of Germany.

rom a scientific standpoint.

Denying that a large percentage of high school boys evade military duty because of participation in athletes or because they are too lazy, as was intimated by Bruce Browning in a large percentage of an auxiliary hospital.

The Commissioners today received from the Columbia Heights Citizens' Association a copy of a resolution urging the origin, treatment, prevention, and the establishment in Columbia Heights of the regular advisory board of the United States Hygienic Laboratory. Their investigations into the origin, treatment, prevention, and spread of these diseases have covered a period of several months.

of an auxiliary hospital.

It is suggested that the most feasible The result of their deliberations, es

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PLACED ON RETIRED LIST.

John C. Wise, of Maryland, medical director and senior officer of the medical corps of the navy, has been placed on the retired list on account of age.

way to this city.

In the telegram received by Major Sylvester this morning, the man is described as being of unusually dark complexion, about five feet ten inches in leight, and wore blue overalls and slippers. He is also decorated with leg irons and a portion of heavy chain.

National Association of Merchant Tallors of America to be held here next February.

This was decided upon at a meeting of the association held in New York leight, and wore blue overalls and slippers. He is also decorated with leg irons and a portion of heavy chain.

Celebrated pathologists, bacteriologists NEW YORK, Oct. 10.-Henry W Celebrated pathologists, bacteriologists and members of the medical science met in the effices of the Public Health and Hospital Service, at New Jersey to discuss their recent investigations in this country of typhoid fever, pellagra, infantile paralysis, tuberculosis, and the life history of the cholera bacillus from a scientific standpoint.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—Henry W. Taft, brother of the President, accompanied by his wife, following a visit of two months to Europe, during which time they witnessed the "Passion Play" and saw 60,000 German troops parade before the Kaiser at Tempelhofer, arrived here today on the George Weshington, of the North German line.

Mr. Taft said that in the course of a Mr. Taft said that in the course of a The scientific men, in meeting today, banquet that night he asked the Em-

arraid to say what he inners, those men always make friends."

When asked concerning the political situation of the country Mr. Taft replied that while abroad he had paid little attention to political affairs in this country. He said, however, that he was positive the Republican party would be returned victorious in the coming State election and in the national election in election and in the national election is

MESSENGER BOY HURT IN FALL FROM WHEEL

Joseph Stadlin, a sixteen-year-old messenger boy, was thrown from his bicycle at Seventh and K streets this Hospital in the ambulance. His inirles, which consist chiefly of bruises FROM ANNAPOLIS
on the face, are not dangerous, and he will be out in a day or two.
He was riding at a fast pace when a big black dog got in front of the wheel.

TAILORS TO HOLD SHOW.

A national style show will be a prin cipal feature of the convention of the ing, and who is supposed to be on his National Association of Merchant Tall-

10c Yd. Wide Percales,

7³/₄C

Mill ends in new

fall styles.



Sunday's newspapers contained a column of Bargains for Tuesday. If you missed them, it will pay you to turn back

Playing Cards. 12½C

"seconds" of regular 25e kind.

\$20 Long Caracul Coats Tomorrow at

Had we waited until cold weather to buy these fashionable Plush and Caracul Coats the present sale prices would be entirely out of the question. Knowing they were to be all the rage this fall and winter, we gave large orders during the maker's dull period and secured advantages in the price that mean savings of many dollars to you now.

The woman who comes here tomorrow and buys one of these high-grade coats will have cause

to congratulate herself all winter long.

Full length Black Caracul Coats, the silky, lustrous quality that has the same appearance as the costliest real fur. New model this season with rolling shawl collar and turn back cuffs. Lined throughout with good quality lining. All sizes. Sold regularly at \$20.00. Sale price, \$10.98.

Purchase of Sample Hosiery

For Women, Misses, and Children-Qualities Worth 25c, 39c, and 50c

3 PAIR FOR

A purchase of finest grades of fall weight Hosiery at a price that permits us to sell two and three pairs for the usual cost of one pair.

A bargain event in which all may share—the assortment includes stockings for women, misses, and children and there's hardly a desirable style missing.

Choice of Women's Stockings, of silk lisle, mercerized lisle, plain lisle, gauze lisle, cotton and lace lisle, in black and complete line of colors. Choice of Misses' and Children's Stockings of wool, worsted, cotton, mercerized lisle, plain lisle,

flat and ribbed goods. Black and all colors in the lot.

Be here early tomorrow and enjoy first choice of the season's biggest and best hosiery bargains at 17c a pair-three pairs for 50c.

All-Wool French Broadcloth 7 \$1.25 Quality, at .

Unquestionably one of the most sensational value offerings in dress goods ever known in the history of this store. Broadcloths enjoy universal favor for tailored suits and coats - and this fact, linked with a price below the cost of production, makes tomorrow's sale entirely without parallel or precedent.

A Fine Imported French Broadcloth, full 52 inches wide, superior, rich, lustrous satin face and fine

twill back. In a wide range of the most desirable street and evening shades, as well as BLACK. Every yard sponged and shrunk free of charge. Choose from the following list of shades:

NAVY BLUE ROYAL BLUE COPENHAGEN ALICE GOBELIN BEOWN RUSSET
LEATHER HUNTER'S GREEN MYRTLE CLIVE GARNET CARDINAL MAROON WINE
WISTARIA RAISIN SMOKE TAUPE HELIO SCARLET OLD BOSE RESEDA
LAVENDEE TURQUOISE PEARL GRAY CHAMPAGNE BISCUIT TAN ALSO BLACK

Truly a sensational sale event-regular \$1.25 All-wool Imported French Broadcloths, in black and all colors, at 79c a yard.

FOR TUESDAY ONLY

Cut out the Coupons below and present tomorrow at the Grocery Department for the following staple supplies at big

This Coupon and 6c -for TWO regular 5c packages of Maryland Biscuit Co.'s Lunch Biscuit, Lemon Teas or Mary-

land Crackers. This Coupon and 6c

-for TWO regular 5c packages

of "Argo" brand Starch, in seal-

This Coupon and 6c -for TWO regular 5c cakes of Swift & Co.'s Golden Oleine Laundry Soap.

This Coupon and 13c -for TWO regular 10c cans of Lowney's Breakfast Cocoa.

This Coupon and 13c -for TWO regular 10c cans of Norwegian Sardines, in bullion

One thousand yards of 20-inch Bleached Twill Crash Toweling, with fast selvage on both sides and

20-in. Bleached Twill Crash Toweling, 5³c yd--worth 10c

Excellent grade for roller or tea Excellent grade for roller or teatowels.

Note the unusual width—which is 4 inches more than the ordinary toweling.

Regular 10c value at 5% c a yard.

No mail or phone orders filled.

Linen Dept.

12½c Outing Flannels at $8\frac{3}{4}$ c a yd

27-inch Outing Flannels, in pink, light blue, gray, tan, red, green, etc. Choice of stripes, checks, and broken plaids.

A heavy fleeced quality, especially adapted to the needs of women and children. One day at 8%c a yd.-regularly 12%c.

Imported Vitrophane

12½c yd. Regularly 25c

Sale of Sample Neckwear 12½ C Choice of Values Worth 25c, 39c, and 50c

Our buyer has just concluded a big neckwear deal, involving a maker's sample line of fall neckwear secured to sell at a fraction of

The collection consists of double pointed Venice Rabats, lace and embroidery trimmed Dutch Collars, Persian and Point Venice Collars—in fact all the prettiest novelties designed for this season's

Not a piece in the lot sells for less than 25c regularly, and many are regular 39c and 50c values. Choice at 124c.

59c Bleached Sheets 81x90 inches Double Bed Size 39C

An unexpected purchase of 100 dozen full size double bed Bleached Sheets on sale tomorrow at a price that has been matched for lowness since cottons were way down in cost.

81x90 inches; made of heavy round thread cotton, free from

81x90 Seamless Bleached Sheets, made from heavy close woven sheeting cotton. Finished with 3-inch hems. 590

The improved welded seam in the center gives added strength.

Worth 79c each.....

100 rolls of imported French. Vitrophane, the best knewn and most popular window decoration and substitute for stained glass. Don't confuse Yitrophane with the cheap imitation sold under a similar name. Choice of a large assortment of designs, including frosted, leaded, and stained glass effects, in various color combinations. Regular price, 25c a yd. Sale price, 124c yd. **Net Shopping Bags** 18c Regularly 25c

Net Shopping Bags, made of best imported linen net, with double riveted handles. Large size, strongly made. Choice of black and brown. Best 25c kinds at 18c each.

10c Dress Ginghams at $5\frac{3}{4}$ c a yd.

Ginghams of such good quality have seldom been sold at such a low price. Make the most of your opportunity while you can.

Larranted fast colors of gray, blue, oxblood, pink, tan and black-and-white in stripes, checks, and broken plaids, also plain shades.

Regular 10c value at 5% c a yd.

Embroidered Flannel 48c--worth 59c yd.

For one day you can buy this regular 59c quality white wool Embroidered Flannel at a worthwhile saving. Choice of handsome silk embroidered designs. A grade of soft texture, for making infants' garments. ments. One day at 48c a yard.



Her Face or Her Money?

Which is it?

How is an heiress to know? She can't-even when the right man comes along-and that is what makes her life not all orchids and limousines. Wouldn't you like to know how one well-known heiress feels about these things? She tells all about her life, frankly and intimately, in "The Autobiography of An Heiress"-a remarkable human document in the big November Number of

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